

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS PINT IS LE

SUBJ: SOUTH LEBANON: KAMAL ASSAD'S REQUEST FOR CEASE-FIRE

REF: BEIRUT 3340

SAW FOREIGN MINISTER BOUTROS BRIEFLY THIS MORNING AND  
RECOUNTED TO HIM MY CONVERSATION WITH ASSAD YESTERDAY. BOUTROS  
SAID HE WAS SEEING PRESIDENT SARKIS LATER IN MORNING AND  
GOING TO DAMASCUS TOMORROW. HE REQUESTED THAT WE DO NOTHING  
WITH REGARD TO ASSAD'S REQUEST UNTIL HE RETURNS FROM  
DAMASCUS. IF, AS RESULT HIS CONVERSATION WITH PRESIDENT, HE  
THOUGHT THERE ANY NEED FOR US TO ACT SOONER THAN NEXT WEEK, HE  
WOULD GIVE ME CALL AND WE COULD DISCUSS.

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